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BARNISKAW

(German: Barnimilaw). Village directly on the Polish-German frontier, Connected a narrow-gauge railway line with the sugar plant of Gumienice. The village has a large permanent WOP post, but only a few coldiers are stationed there.

BARNISKAWICE

(German: Nsa-Barnimslow). Village located south of Barnislaw.

BARTOSZEWO

(German: Barm). Small village within the Suczecin forest, near the Suczecin-Tanovo road. Independent farmers.

BEZRZECZE

(German Brunn). A PGR. Located on the western side of the military training-grounds in Glebokie on the northwest outskirts of Sucrecin. The training grounds have an artillery range. They are used by the Gameoin garrison, especially by the units quartered in the barracks near blica Mickiewicza and near Aleja Wojska Polskiego.

BEDARGOVO

(German: Mandethew). A PGR. Located southwest of Szczecin. Linked to the sugar plant in Gumienice by a narrow-gauge railway line.

BOBOLIN

(German, Boblin). A PGR. Located directly on the Polish-German Prontier scatture, tof Sucrecin. The head of the PGR is (fnu) Tracework! Phere is a permanent WOP post with about 30 soldiers.

ROTKOM

(German: Schlangenhorst). Small settlement on Lake Swidwie. Probably individual farmers.

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BRZOZKI

(German: Althagen), Seat of a gmina (community office) on the Trzebiez-Nove Warpno road. The village is linked by the Szczecin-Nove Warpno autobus line. WOP inspections on these busses are frequent. The village is inhabited by independent farmers. It lies south of the swamps on the border of Szczecinski Zalew and north of a large forested area.

BUK

(German: Boeck). Location of a RCR, a village kolkhoz and the head office for several affiliated PRGs. (Zespol). There is a permanent WOP control post since the village is directly on the frontier. The railway line is out of commission; the tracks were dismantled in 1945

CIESZKOWICE

(German: Herrnhoff). A small settlement in the forests, directly on the frontier north of Myslibors. The WOP patrols from Karszno pass through this deserted village and use it as a stopping point.

DEBOSTRÓW

(German: Damuster). Village of independent farmers near the Szczecin Trzbiez maniway line. The village has a small railway stopping point.

DOBIESZCZYN

(German: Entopol). The villagers and foresters refer to this place as 'Entopol'. The chief forester's house is situated directly at the frontier on the road from Tanowo into the Soviet Zone of Germany. This road is opened only for special purposes, when Police or German frontier guards must cross the frontier for duty. Entopol is completely surrounded by forest. There is a permanent WOP post with about 30 men, two patrol dogs and 12 horses. This is one of the strongent WOP posts in the area, a headquarters for forest patrols.

DOBRA

(German, Daber). FUR and kolkhoz, Seat of a gmina (community office). The left station on the Szczecin-Dobra railway line, which has been completely dismantled north of Dobra. The village is right on the frectier. It has a permanent WOP post of about 35 soldiers and come dogs. Northeast of the village, at the edge of the forest, there is a WOP observation tower which is in telephone communication with the WOP post. Dobra is also headquarters for a community roommand of SP supervising two platoons, with approximately (O SP members (Janake) | Jan Polboczer is a WOP informer who lives in Dobra | La manufact the frontier forests under the pretext of poaching. He collaborates with the WOP post to catch possible escapees.)

DOĽUJE

(German: Neuenkarchen). There is a kolkhoz in the village itself and a number of independent farmers in the vicinity. Seat of a gmina (community office). Permanent WOP post with about 40 soldiers and some dogs. This WOP post patrols the Szczecin-Dobra railway line and he reads bieding toward the frontier near Lubieszyn (about three km away) or near Koseimo (about three km away). Doluje is also the nearguraters for a community command of SP supervising a nuit (huffee) of about 40 Junaks.

DROGORADZ

(German: Hammer). Kolkhoz located southeast of Trzebiez, on the unforested wedge which stretches from the Szczecin-Trzebiez railway line into the Tanovo forest.

DUCHOWO

(German: Duchow). Small settlement, sort of suburb of Jasienica, which lies close so the south.

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G**K**ĘBOKTE

(German: Glambeck). On the northwestern outskirts of Szczecin within the limits of Greater Szczecin. Prior to World War II it was well known as an excursion point on Lake Glebokie. Now it directly adjoins the exercise grounds used by the military units quartered in the Szczecin barracks near Ulica Mickiewicza and Aleja Wojska Polskiego. || The exercise grounds are located within the triangle formed by the roads: Glebokie-Kolczkowo-Krzyki. Glebokie 5 linked to Szczecin by PKW busses and streetcars.

GXOGI

(German: Rosenort). In the frontier swamp area south of Mysliborz, whence WOP patrols are dispatched.

COLKOWO

(German: Guelkow). Small settlement near the Bedragowo-Bobolin road.

GRADNO

(German : Kevelberg). Deserted settlement near the Nowe Warpno-Podgrodzie road at the peint where Lake Nowe Warpno joins the Szczecinskie Zalew.

GRZEPA

(German: Armenheids). Village southwest of Tanowo.

GUBICE

GUMIENICE

(German: Hardemoor). Settlement northwest of Tatynia on the outskirts of Temow Forests.

(German: Scheune) Suburb on the southern outskirts of Szczecin. A large augar plant there employs about 800 workers. The sugar plant is connected by a special narrow-gauge railway with the sugar beet plantations in the southern part of the Szczecin Powait. ... a railway station with warehouses and c customs office. There is a special WOP rearch unit as well as the customs officials.

GUNICE

(German: Guenita). Small settlement, said to be deserted, near a forester's house in Tanow Forest about three km west of Tanowo.

HUTA GUNICKA

(German: Alte Glashoette). Former German glass factory near Gunice, now completely destroyed.

JASTENICA

(German, Jacenita). Village mear the Szczecin-Trzebiez railway line. It has a rankway statuon. Seat of a community office) and a kolkhoz. There are also some independent surmers. The militia (MO) post is headed by (fnu) Zajda. Jasienica has the largest SP buffer in the Szczecin-district-about 150 Janess. There is a sawmill on the bank of the Odra.

JATROSZOWO

(German Johannishof). Small settlement three km west of Tanowo!

KAMIENIEC

(German Schoeningen) PGR sputh of the autobahn in the direction of the frontier. There is a strong permanent WOP post with about 20 soldiers. It patrols the crossings on the Odra River and also the strip of Polish territory on the left bank of the Odra south of Kamienice.

KARPIN

(German: Karpin). Forester s house and a kolkhoz for cattle breeding. Collection and sorting point for cutwood.

KARSZNO

(German: Albrechtsdorf). Former estate seat, now only some individual farms. A permanent WOP post, about 30 soldiers and two dogs, is stationed in the castle. The settlement is on the border of Lake Nowe Warpno, near the Nowe Warpno-Tracticz road. The railway line which formerly passed through has been dismantled.

Communication to Trackrea by bus.

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KARWOWO

(Germen: Karow). [No information]

KNIEZYCE

(German: Jaegerhof). With a forester's house about 3.5 km west of Karpin. The forester's house is located near the wide forest road which leads towards Dobieszczyn (Entopol). This road is under very strong WOP surveillance.

KOZBASKOWO

(German: Kolbitzow). Village about one km from the Szeigein-Berlin autobahn. Seat of a omina. Kolkhoz as well as independent farmers kolbeskowo in the main entry and exit point to the autobahn for Szezecin. Strong permanent WOP post. Seat of a community SP command of SP with about 60 Junaks in buffer Kolbeskowo is linked to Szezecin by PKS bus via Gunienica. This bus line runs as far as Gryfiro (Greifenhagen). The busses cross the Odra via the autobahn bridge. This is the only highway bridge in operation in this area. A former highway bridge situated a few km to the south has not yet been rebuilt. The autobahn is closed on the frontier. Passage is possible only with special permission. The railway line passing through Kolbaskowo toward Rossow in the Soviet Zone is used irregularly for freight manaports.

KOLPIN

(German: Langenstuecken). Small settlement.

KOSCINO

(German: Konstan). POR located directly on the frontier north of the Suggeons Stober Ferlin railway line. Permanent WOP control post supervises the frontier acctor and the railway line.

KRASOW

(German: Kerngrund). Email settlement with PGR, near Kamieniec.

KRZEKOWO

(German: Kreekow). Sebart at the end of Ulica Mickiewicza on the western outskirts of Greater Szczecin. Location of WOP barracks and Soviet units. North of Krzekowo exercise grounds with a shooting range atreate as far as Glebokie.

KUROW

(German : Karrow). POR its sixty output of Szczecin on the west bank of the Odre.

LESNO GORNE

(German, Hohenberg) - Complement with forester's house in dense forcest about five km sset of Tanowo.

LEPINO

(German: Leppino). Pik located near Bedargowo (Mandelkow).

LINKI

(German: Alt Lacukin). This suburb, situated directly on the frontier in the Doluge area, was destroyed during World War II and has not yet been rebuilt. Wead-actory operations are proceeding in the forest on both sides of the Institute. It is said that the forest will be completely wiped one. At original, in the outskirts of the forest, a forest here. South first, in the outskirts of the forest, a WOP observation tower has been erected on hill '30.7'. In Neulienken, on the forest also at the border, there is a Volkspolized observation tower. Here is also a Soviet Army post on the frontier at this point. The inclusional connecting Neu-Lieken with Imbieszczyn on the Polish side of the border us used occasionally by frontier guard patrols from both sides of the border. Some Soviet units also cross the frontier here on their way to the Soviet Zone of Germany from the rear camp, in the Soczecin area.

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LUBITESZYN

(German: Marienhof near Neuenkirchen). Small settlement. A small forester's house has been put into operation there as the former forester's house is on the Germe side of the border. A second house has been made a WOP frontie, control post to guard the road-frontier crossing in the direction of New Lienken. There is a WOP observation tower about \frac{1}{2} km south of Lubieszyn.

LEGI

(German: Laack). Small group of individual farms about 2.5 km

north of Buk.

MAXACHOWO

(German: Luisenruh). Nucleus of a few independent farms near

the Karszno-Nowe Warpho road.

MIERZYN

(German: Moehringen). POR and POM station. Before one reaches this point 'attention' signs indicate start of the frontier belt.

Near the Szczecin-Doluje road.

MIROSZEWO

(German: Steinort). Small fishermen's settlement at the end of the Nowe Warpno 'tongon' on the shore of the Szczecinski Zalew.

MOCZYKY

(German: Schillersdorf). PGB situated about 2.5 miles southeast of Kolbaskowo on the weatern bank of the Odra River. (Fnu)

Antoniuk is head of the PGR.

MÉCIECINO

(German: Messenthin). At the northern tip of Greater Szczecin. It borders Poince, which is now a separate town. There is a rail-

way stopping-point at Maciecino.

MSZCZUJE .

(German: Moorbrueck). Small cottlement about three km south of

Brzozek.

MYSLECIN

(German: Uniserdiof). Small settlement about 2.5 km northeast

of Buk.

MYSLIBORZ

(German: Muetzelburg). Forester's house on Lake Myslyborski, about seven km goothwest of Brzozki directly on the frontier. In the buildings used before World War II as nurseries of graited trees are now used for a permanent WOP rost. Patrols from this post go as far north as Zwalki and as far south as the Glogi swampy area and Dovieszczyn.

MYSLIBORZ-MALY

(German: Klein Methelburg). Settlement on the northern shore of Lake Mysliborskie. There is a permanent WOP observation post on

the frontier at this point.

NIEKKLONDZYCE

(German: Koenigefreene). Village near the Szczecin-Trzebiez railway line. The willage has a kolkhoz, some independent farms and a

railway station.

NOWA JASIENICA

(German: New Jasenita). Forester's house about 12 km from Jasienica.

The trees in this area are about 60 years old.

NOWE LESNO

(German: New Leese). Settlement in the Tanowo Forest, about three km

southeast of Tanowo.

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NOWE WARPHO

(German: Neuwarp). This town on Lake Nowe Warpno has its own administration with a Town Nat'onal Council. It has about 600 inhabitants--mostly fishermen and farmers. There is no rail connection. The pre-World War II railway line between Nowe Warpno and Rieth was completely dismantled in 1945 by the Soviet Army. The remaining sleepers were excavated in 1992 and used in the reconstruction of the branch line in Szczecin harbor. The dam is presently used as a route for the WOP patrols going slong the swamps in the direction of Tytke (Rytker Muehle), which is directly on the frontier. There is a permanent strong WOP post in Nowe Warpno. There is a WOP observation tower near the harbor mole. There is a small fishing harbor on the southern outskirts of the town. The pre-World War II sawmills and cornmills were dismantled in 1945 by the Soviet Army.

OSTOJA

(German: Schadeleben). Small settlement about 1.5 km west of Gumienice.

PARCOWO

(German: Pargow). PGR about five km south of the Kamieniec PGR, directly on the frontier. A parmanent wor control post guards the frontier and segment of the west bank of the Odra.

**PILCHOWO** 

(German: Polchow). Village on the Szczecin-Tanowo road. The southern part still belong to Greater Szczecin. The northern part is incorporated in Tanowo. The village has just independent farms.

POBRZEZ IE

(German: Neuhaus). Settlement with a forester's house in the Tanow Forest about 2.5 km north of Lake Swidwie.

PODGRODZIE

(German: Altstadt). Former fishermen's village on the Szczecin-skie Zalew, completely deserted after World War II. In 1952 a children's town was organized here under the supervision of a few adults only. The entire village administration—town hall, shops, local railway line, police—is managed by children. The place has been completely renovated. The former Kurhaus has been remodelled into a racreation hall with hotel accomodations for visitors and parents. Parents may visit their children only in groups organized on special excursion schemes with special permission. Podgrodzie is linked to Szczecin by PKS bus. There is a special wor post with a high observation tower which guards the narrow pass between the Szczecinski Zalew and the Nowe Warpno lake.

POLICE

(German: Poelitz). Self-administered town with a Town National Council. Located each the Szczecin-Trzebiez railway line. Police has a railway station. During the German armoment program a synthetic gaseline plant was built outside Poelitz, partly underground, near the Poelitz-Trzeszczya road. The plant was partially destroyed during Word War II by Allied bombardment and completely dismantled by the State Army in 1945. The Germans had built a camouflage ghost plant a few km farther west in the forest. The ghost plant was untouched by bombs.

PRZESOCIN

(German: Reuendorf). Village about three km west of Skolwin, near the Szczecin-Police detour route.

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PRZECZAW

(German: Pritalew). PGR of Zespot. Hear the Excrecin-Kolbaskews road. The Societin-Rosow-Tantow rather line runs through Procedum, but it is used only occase hally for timber transports.

PRZEDBORZE

(German: Landwehr). Small group of independent farms near the Karszno-Neve Warpno read and near the shore of Lake Newe Warpno.

PRZYLEP

(German: Pullipp). PGR two km eact of Stobno.

POPIELEWO

(German: Haffnorst). Small fishermen's settlement on the Szczecinckie Zalew, about 2.5 km east of Brzozki. There is a small harbor for timber shipments. Read link with the Terevier Nowe Warpno coad.

REDZINY

(Gerrary Pausenheida). POH about 2.5 km south of Stolec directly on the frontier. The vestern part of the PGR borders Lake Pepowo, teross which the frontier line passes. There is a permanent WOP post. There is a WOP observation tower west of Redsing between the Buk Stolec road and the northern shore

RYBOCIN

(Garman Chambelle) Locality with a disused corn mill about 1.5 km about of Stoles on the shore of Lake Stolsko (Schloss-Sec). Wor unvertation point. The observation tower is about

RYTKA

(Gorman: Ristker Machine). Former form mill which was formerly a part of Prothe-dim in the Sovier Zone. One of the most western WOP observation princhs. Wor nations start from Karsno along the dam which is these or four km long (the rest of the former Nowe Warpno-Richt railway the which mas been completely dismantled. From this dam the WOF remote grand the densely forested, swampy area which is a first of there is much wild game board and many broaching.

SIADZO DOLNE

(Germann Kies (1986)). Village on the western bank of the Orda, about one km worth of the Odra autobahn bridge. The village is under close our respectision because it is so close to the bridge. There is a bridge factory. The local people often call the place SiodZo Dolve is read of SiadZo Dolve.

SIADZO GORNE

(German: Heben, with h). Village near Stadfo Dolne. There is a kolkhor and a permanent MOP control point).

SIEDLICE

(German: Zedlitziclin). Village about 3.5 km southwest of Police.

SKARBIMIERZYCE

(German: Sparrent's Del.). PGR on the Szczecin-Doluje road about one are from Dolujes.

SKOLWIN

(German: Odermarrie . On the northern cutskings of Greater Stonecin. The proof and cellulose plant, which was damaged during World War if a distinct the by the Soviet Army in 1945, has been rebuilt. It is to operate as an affiliate of another plant presently union local ruction at Kostrayn. The plants will be under joint management with headquarters at Shokwin. The Skolvin plant will in other with about 1,500 workers.

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SMOLEC IN

(German: Schmellentin). Village about two km north of Kolbaskowc. Kolkhoz and some independent farms.

STARE LESNO

(German: Alt Leese). Village about two km southeast of Tanowo.

STAW

(German: Staffelde). PGR, probably part of the Pargowo PGR. Situated on the most southerly bit of Polish territory on the west bank of the Odra. The pre-World War II bridge linking Staw and Gryfino has not been repaired.

STOBNO

(German: Stoeven). PGR. The village has a railway station and two branch lines: one to Grambow-Berlin; the other--a local line-Doluje-Dobra. There is a special WOP post at the railway station-about 20 soldiers--for freight and passenger control.

STOLEC

(German: Stolzenburg). PGR directly on the frontier at Lake Stolcko. Permanent strong WOP control post. The observation tower is at the edge of the lake about half a km in the direction of Ribocin (Secmuchle), where there is another observation point. No railway or bus facilities. The nearest transportation connection with Szczecin is at Dobra.

SULISLAW

(German: Bothningshof). Village directly on the frontier near Lake Pepowo, torough which passes the frontier line. The village is on the Buk-Stoled road. WOP observation tower on the northern shore of the lake.

TANOWO

(German: Falkenvalde). Seat of a gmina. One of the largest villages in the district—about 1500 persons. Prior to World War II it was a health resort for middle-class persons from Szczecin. Undamaged during the war. Connected to Szczecin by PKS bus line. Headquarters for the chief forester, who controls 17 forestries in the surrounding district. There is a sawmill and a special forest fire brigade. Surrounded by 150-year-old forest.

TATYNIA

(German: Hagen). Kolkhoz and some individual farms. The village is on the Jasienica-Tanowo road, about 2.5 km southwest of Jasienica. Near the public school in Tatynia the 'Miczurin' circle is doing experimental horticulture-founded by (fnu) Chelchowski, a local teacher who is an active Communist.

TREEBIEZ

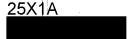
(German: Ziegenort). Fishermen's village at the point where the Odra joins the Szczecinski Zalew. Trzebiez has hitherto belonged to the community of Jasienica, but an independent grins is planned. The village was badly damaged luring World War II— about 25% of the houses are not yet rebuilt. A small fishing harbor is now used as a quay for the dredging machines now working on the mouth of the Odra (now 12 m deep). Trzebiez is the terminus station on the Scczecin-Trzebiez rankway line and the start of the Trzebiez-Karszno-Nowe Warpno bus line. Headquarters of a full WOP companyabout 150 men. A special motorized alert patrol is equipped with ZIS cars. Headquarters of an SP community command which controls the coast as far as Nowe Warpno. Many young workers live in a hostel in Trzebiez and work for the state dredging enterprise: PPRCIP—Panstw. Przeds. Robot Czerpanych I Podwodnych.

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TRZESZCZYN

(German: Trestin). Kolkhoz on the Police-Tanowo 3.5 km from Tanowo. The road through Trzeszczyn is the only completely rebuilt road in the Szczecin District. It was finished in 1952. A bus line between Police and to go into operation in 1953.

UNIEMESL

(German: Wilhelmsdorf). Kolkhoz and some individual farms near the Szczecin-Trzebiez railway line. Uniemysl has a rail-way station.

WARNIK

(German: Warningshof). PGR about 1.5 km south of Bobolin, directly on the irortier. This PGR belongs to the UB post in Szczecin. Incugh primarily agricultural, it serves also as an observation post for the Whole area.

WARNOZEKA

(German: Wahrlang). Village on the Trzebiez-Nowe Warpno road about two km rom Brierki. Kokhoz and some individual farms.

trregular WOP mouse patrols. The busses especially are under WOP observe rous.

WARZYMICE

(German: Klain Remarkhendorf). Village about two km south-west of Gumienkes.

WAWELNICA

(German, Wasser, and locally a. Wawolnica. Village about it. Rolkhoz. The Szczecin-Rtobno-Dobra railway and through the village; only a stopping point.

**WĘ**GORNIK

(German, Ash ranged) buttlement west of Tenowo, near Huta Ghimicky (Asta selection),

WIENKOWO

(German, he is the lively group of independent farms on the Jasiem, a class change

WITORZA

(German have a week. Sattlement about 2.5 km northeast of Tenser's house.

WOZCZKOWO

(German location). Village with kolkhoz near the Glebourie with the northern edge of the military training proceed force; by the Glebockie-Wolczkowo-Krzekowo triange.

ZALESTE

(German, Somenwald). Small settlement on the northern shore of Lake Swidwie

ZWATKI

(Germant Beekbrusche). Settlement about 3.5 km from Mysliborz, directly on the frontier. Contact point for the WOP observation sectors (styk) of the Karszno and Mysliborz posts.

ZÓZTOW

(German: Hundspforth). Settlement about 3.5 km from Tanowo.

Now a PGR. About one km away there is a special poultry-breeding farm."

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